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Applicant understands that this CPA application automatically ABANDONS the parent application.

- ☐ Please enter the enclosed Preliminary Amendment and Request for Interference with U.S. Patent No. 5,762,458 Under 37 C.F.R. §1.607.
- ☐ Please enter the enclosed Supplementary Preliminary Amendment and Request for Interference with U.S. Patent No. 5,878,193 Under 37 C.F.R. §1.607

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Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-referenced Continuation Prosecution  
Application under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(d) (transmittal filed concurrently herewith), please enter the  
following amendments and remarks.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 46-105 without prejudice, and add claims 106-114 as  
follows:

1 -- 106. A medical robotic system that can be inserted through a first incision of  
2 a patient and controlled by a surgeon comprising:

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